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## Chairman Reynolds States Connelly's Qualifications

By George Reynolds, Chairman  
As the Chairman of the "Connelly for Selectman Committee" I feel that I have two direct obligations to fulfill. One of these is to myself and the candidate directly and the second, far more important indeed, is to promote a candidate who will adequately serve the many interests of the townspeople. Too often, a community such as ours has found that electing an official in a manner comparable to a popularity contest has resulted in a wast-

ed effort by the voter because that elected official was found to be incapable of performing his duties. It is only incidental that this candidate is a Republican or a Democrat. This party affiliation could be part of his inheritance or produced by his environment and in no way "proves the man."

Therefore, let us try to discover and unfold the true Ed Connelly. What is his background? What does he stand for? Has he ever helped you? Will he help you again? Why does he want to become your Selectman?

First and foremost Ed Connelly is devoted to this town. This is not just a "paper phrase," this is a matter of record. He has spent many tedious hours, with—  
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## 858 Students Receive Tuberculin Tests

The Health Department announces that 858 students were given the Mantoux Tuberculin Test to the first and seventh graders and Juniors in High School. This is an increase of 21 over last year.

This yearly program was initiated in 1957 and has proven its importance and success as a valuable and beneficial health safeguard for our school children. This test shows whether a person has been exposed to or has come in contact with tuberculosis.

The Health Department and its nurses, in cooperation with the School Nurses and Drs. Kohn, Dr. Wein and Dr. Romano performed the tuberculin testing.

## Schlagel Pupils Will Entertain

The second annual Parent-Teachers Association meeting directed by Mrs. Earl Fadgen will have as guest Mr. Harold M. Schlagel who will present his piano students in "Night of Music". This will be held at the Robinson Park School on October 23 at 7:30 p.m.

Parents are cordially invited to attend.

## "Lady-Like" Style Show Saturday



OOPS MY DEAR! YOUR SLIP IS SHOWING!  
WARNS MALE MODEL FOR COMEDY FASHION SHOW.

HIGH FASHION MODELS were practicing last week for the VALCORS sponsored Comedy Fashion Show which will be held on Oct. 19 at the Agawam Junior High School. Shown, left to right, are Robert Ratcliffe, Basil Pederzani and Everett Hodge.

Twenty-four male models, drawn from the ranks of businessmen, town officials and just plain Dads will assist in presenting the new spring styles to the general public at the "Lady-Like" Style Show Saturday night at 8:30 in the Junior High School.

Sponsored by the VALCORS for the benefit of The Valley Community Church, the style show is under the chairmanship of Miss Maude Light.

If you really want to know what that new bikini bathing suit or that stunning evening dress can do for you, you MUST see them on one of these high fashion, Lissome glamorous models, The men who have volunteered to participate in this comedy fashion show for the benefit of The Valley Community Church have displayed the ultimate in good sportsmanship.

Variety acts will include a ballet dance by four men, a soprano solo and a quartet rendition.

Serving on the committee with Miss Light are: Mrs. Charles Deliso, co-ordinator; Mrs. John A. MacPherson, publicity; Samuel A. Griswold, set lighting; Rod-eric H. Light and Charles Deliso, set directors; Eugene Ayers, music; Miss Paula Mensch, choreographer, together with a general committee consisting of Mrs. John J. Wiley, Jr., Mrs. Clyde E. Light, Mrs. Harvey Mensch, Mrs. Bobbie LaRiviere, Mrs. A. E. Ingalls and Mrs. Richard L. Taylor.

Tickets may be purchased from any member of the committee, models or at the door the night of the show. Anyone wishing to take along his camera is welcome to do so.

## South PTA Sponsors Paul Monson Movie

The staggering problems of one of the world's biggest underdeveloped nations will be shown in three-screen color Friday evening October 18, at 8:00 when Paul Monson's latest travel adventure will be shown at the South Elementary School under the auspi-



PAUL MONSON

ces of the South Parent - Teachers Association.

His color slides and fascinating commentary are the result of some six thousand miles of travel in India and he effectively uses his brilliant colored slides to por-

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## Seek Bids For PO At Feeding Hills

The Post Office Department is seeking competitive bids to build and lease the new post office at Feeding Hills, Mass. Postmaster General John A. Gronouski, announced yesterday.

Under the Department's Lease Construction program, the site selected on Springfield Street, directly across the street from the present post office, will be assigned to the successful bidder, who will purchase the property, construct the building according to departmental specifications and lease it to the Post Office Department for a basic period of ten years, with options to renew  
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## Selectman Charest Endorses Nardi

The results of the Democratic Caucus has shown that Fredrick Nardi has been chosen as the candidate for the office of Selectman in the forth-coming Town election.

I hereby express my willingness and desire to endorse Mr. Nardi for this responsible office and pledge to support him through-out the entire campaign.

I urge that Democrats, Independents and Republicans vote for Fredrick Nardi whose proven business and administrative ability will serve as an asset to Agawam's governmental progress.

Raymond E. Charest  
Selectman



## St. John's Guild To Hold Bazaar, Auction Nov. 9th

An old-fashioned New England Christmas Bazaar will be sponsored by St. John the Evangelist Guild Saturday, Nov. 9, in St. John's Hall. In addition to the Bazaar, a Penny Auction will start at 8 p.m., at the conclusion of the day long exhibition and sale of articles. Rev. John P. Shannon, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church and Mrs. J. Clinton Wright, Jr., Guild president, are serving as honorary chairmen, with Mrs. Chester Miller serving as treasurer. This will be the ninth annual bazaar to be sponsored by the guild.

The committee planning the pre-Christmas twofold affair which will open at 11 a.m., is

## Dunkin' Donuts Will Give Free Trick-Treat Bags

Colorful, free trick or treat bags for youngsters will be given by Dunkin' Donuts here, say franchise owners Nicholas and Fred Chickless Starting Oct. 17, a bag will be offered with each dozen donuts. In brilliant white with pumpkin designs, the bags provide extra safety for tots crossing streets on Halloween night.

Msrs. Chickless of 12 Springfield St. say their Dunkin' Donuts Shop is preparing special holiday party treats. "Halloween tarts, custard sticks, kreme donuts, coffee rolls and little donut holes also make good 'loot' items for young doorbell ringers," they added.

Those products are in addition to the 52 varieties Dunkin' Donuts makes fresh constantly on their premises throughout the coast-to-coast organization recognized as America's largest and finest donut chain.

headed by Mrs. Thomas M. Danford, who is serving as general chairman, assisted by Mrs. Joseph O'Connor, cochairman. Many surprises have been planned and prizes will be awarded each hour during the bazaar.

Booth chairman are announced as follows: miniature aprons, Mrs. Ernest McLean; special awards, Mrs. John Mokszin; antique jewelry, Mrs. Claudia Torrey; home baked goods, Mrs. Bruno Zucco; Christmas decorations, Mrs. Wylly Brame; religious articles, Mrs. Wright; cozy corner, Mrs. George Russell; handkerchiefs, Mrs. Arthur Cirillo; aprons, Mrs. Horace Penrose; attic treasurers, Mrs. Edward Novak; letters from Santa, Mrs. Edward Moriarty; Booster, Mrs. Joseph Ferrara; book fair, Mrs. Paul Query; parcel post, Mrs. William Dryzyga; hat bar, Mrs. Edward Lancaster; yarn, Mrs. Roland Meunier.

All articles offered at the auction, scheduled for 8 p.m., will be brand new gifts suitable for  
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## Catholic Women Will Meet Monday

The October meeting of the Catholic Women's Club of Agawam will be held the 21st of October at 7:45 p.m. in St. John's Hall. Mrs. Francis Capitanio, president, will conduct the business meeting which will be opened with a prayer by Rev. John P. Shannon, Pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church and Spiritual Advisor of the Club. Mrs. Joseph Cancelliere, program chairman for October, will then present Mr. Harvey Frechette, Dean of the Kay-Harvey Hair Design Academy, as guest speaker.

"Mr. Harvey" has spent many years in the study of beauty cul-  
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## Bridge and "Fashions O'Plenty" Tuesday



Young ladies from the Agawam Junior High School and the High School will assist in serving homemade desserts and coffee at the Agawam Junior Women's Club dessert bridge and fashion show "Fashions O' Plenty." The bridge and fashion display will be at 8 o'clock Tuesday, Oct. 22nd in the Junior High School auditorium.

Committee members pictured above left to right, rear are: Mrs. Robert Aubrey, Mrs. Richard Fields, Mrs. Franklin Stoll; front row same order, Mrs. Robert

Burger, Mrs. William Manning, and Mrs. Stephen Parchick.

There will be drawings for 100 door prizes throughout the evening with an additional ten grand prizes including electrical appliances and dinner - theater tickets for two. Kitty Browman of WWLP will commentate on the styles shown and Mrs. Francis Chmura will be piano accompanist.

Modeling children's fashions are the Misses Pamela and Christine Maule, Lynn Hannon, Patri-  
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## CHURCH NEWS

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin T. Lockhart,  
Pastor

Mrs. Frank Merchant,  
Organist-Choir Director

Mrs. Barbara Briggs,  
Church Secretary

Thursday — 1:30 p.m. Ella Bond Circle meet at home of Miss Lena Cushman, Main Street; 6:30 p.m. Choralier Choir rehearse at church; 8 p.m. Senior Choir rehearse at church.

Friday and Saturday — 9 p.m. Senior BYF will conduct a paper drive in the community. If you have papers to be picked up please call Shelley Allen at RE 9-3313 or the church office, RE 4-0700.

Saturday — 3:30 p.m. Junior Bell Choir rehearse at church.

Sunday — 9 and 11:10 a.m. Two Morning Worship Services — Rev. Lockhart will preach both services . . . Celestial Choir sing first service, Senior Choir sing second service. Laymen will take part in both services; 9:30 and 10 a.m. CHURCH SCHOOL for all ages; 6 p.m. Junior High BYF meet at church; 6 p.m. Senior BYF meet at church; 6 p.m. Christian Growth Group meet in Fellowship House. Couples are invited to attend this informal meeting for a discussion of the Bible.

Monday — 7:30 p.m. Church School Teachers and Officers meet at church.

Tuesday — 10 a.m. Searchlighters Circle meet at home of Mrs. Dorothy Smith, Florida Drive; 7 p.m. Celestial Choir rehearse at church.

Wednesday — 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post open.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth F. Loomis,  
Interim Minister

Mrs. Andrew G. Toussaint,  
Minister of Music

Thursday — Ladies' Aid annual Chicken Pie Supper.

Friday — 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal; 8 p.m. Merriweds Square Dance.

Saturday — 8:45 a.m. Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:45 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday — 9 a.m. Church School Nursery-Grade 6; 10 a.m. Church School Grades 7-12; 11 a.m. Church School Nursery-Grade 6; 9 and 11 a.m. Church at Morning Worship . . . Sermon by Rev. Kenneth F. Loomis; 6 p.m. Junior Pilgrim Fellowship meeting; 7 p.m. Senior Pilgrim Fellowship meeting; Agawam Church Federation Dinner.

Tuesday — 6:30 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal; 7:30 p.m. Church Council.

### ST. DAVID'S CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar

Friday — 3:15 p.m. Junior Choir practice at church.

Sunday — Services 8 and 10:00 a.m.; Youth Service 7 p.m.

### FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney

Mrs. Fred Nardi, Sr. Organist

Mrs. D. Myer, Jr. Choir Director

Thursday — 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

Saturday — 9:30 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal; 10:30 a.m. Cherub Choir rehearsal.

Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Worship Service.

### LAY MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister

Mrs. H. Binns, Organist

Mrs. M. Keyes, Sr. Choir Director

Mrs. R. Ashton, Jr. Choir Director

Sunday — 9:30 and 11 a.m. Morning Worship Services . . . Sermon by Rev. Thornton at both services; 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:20 a.m. Bible Study class in sanctuary for Adults and Senior MYF Group.

Thursday — 7 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

### VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Frank E. Dunn,  
Guest Minister

Mrs. John Cesan, Secretary

Mrs. John MacPherson

Mrs. Harry Prior,  
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Carl Louis Montagna, Seaman Apprentice, U. S. Coast Guard, son of Michael P. Montagna of 49 Spencer St., Agawam, graduated from recruit training at the Coast Guard Receiving Center, Cape May, N. J. His basic training included seamanship, gunner, physical education, military discipline and justice, communications and Coast Guard history. Upon completion of his recruit leave at home he will report to the Commander, First Coast Guard District, Boston, for further technical training and assignment to duty. Prior to enlistment he attended Holyoke Junior College.

## Auxiliary Police Banquet Nov. 9

On Saturday evening Nov. 9th at the Shaker Pines Club in Hazardville, Conn., the Agawam Auxiliary Police Association will hold its annual banquet. Serving time will be at 7 followed by dancing and entertainment.

Toastmaster and honorary chairman will be Auxiliary Sergeant Raymond LeGrand. Guests of honor will include Police Chief and Mrs. Kenneth Grady, Senior Sergeant and Mrs. Stanley Rhodes and retired Police Chief and Mrs. Roland Reed. All members of the Police Department are invited to attend.

There will be corsages donated by Patrolman Thomas Russo, Sr., gifts for all and Free door prizes.

It is requested that all reservations be in by Oct. 23 the date of the association meeting for this month or by contacting co-chairmen, Walter T. Letellier, Carmin Calabrese, William Miller or Jack Devine.

Oct. 1, 1885 — Special delivery mail service went into effect throughout the U. S., though it was restricted to towns of at least 4,000 residents. The additional charge was ten cents a letter.

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DID YOU KNOW: That the Agawam Lions Club will be 20 years old next May 10?

That 19 charter members are still active: George E. Andrews, John S. Campbell, John A. Carlson, Frederick T. Dacey, Fred Emerson, Vincent Gallerani, Raymond E. Harris, Philip V. Hembt, Kenneth G. Hinshaw, Henry W. Lawson, John N. Magovern, Henry L. McGowan, Edward D. McMahon, Joseph P. McMahon, Jr., Bruce P. Notman, James A. O'Keefe, James N. Reynolds, Norman W. Roberts, and L. John Schinelli?

That 15 Past Presidents are still active?

That the Club sponsored Little League Baseball 10 years ago, in 1953?



## BIRTHS

BOYS

Sept. 27 — To Mr. and Mrs. David W. Paro of 48 Royal St., Agawam; Sept. 28 — To Mr. and Mrs. James V. Mercadante of 1520 Main St., Agawam; Sept. 29 — To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morin of 152 Lealand Ave., Agawam.

GIRLS

Sept. 29 — To Mr. and Mrs. Gino O. Vignato, Jr., of 34 Day St., Agawam; Oct. 2 — To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Vinesett of 28 King St., Agawam.

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## Lay Church WSCS

### Smorgasbord Oct. 19

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Lay Memorial Methodist Church in Feeding Hills will serve their first Smorgasbord of the season Saturday, the 19th in the church dining room. Sittings will be at 5:30 and 6:30 p.m.

The menu will consist of: chicken pie, macaroni and cheese, chicken a-la-can-can, chili con carne, meat balls, baked beans, frankfurts, Texas hash, corn/ sausage casserole, oven browned potatoes, assorted jellied salads, waldorf salad, cole slaw, deviled eggs, relished, rolls, butter, apple crisp, coffee and ea.

Reservations will be appreciated and made with Mrs. Fred Raison, Southwick St., and Mrs. Kenneth Thornton, Kensington St., Feeding Hills.

The committee in charge of the smorgasbord is: Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Mrs. Frank Chrichton, Mrs. Everett Cross, Jr., Mrs. Ronald Ashton and Mrs. Percy Mickey. Mrs. Walter Meissner will be the dining room hostess.



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In Spring you will find the diseased areas of your lawn white cottony and matted. This fungus thrives during the winter under the cool moistness of melting snow, according to New England Nurserymen's Assn.

If you have been bothered by snow mold in the past, use a mercury fungicide to help reduce and eliminate this condition.

Other measures suggested include making sure that the lawn is closely mowed for the winter, provide adequate drainage and avoid nitrogenous fertilizers.

Whist Parties are held each Wednesday and Saturday night at 8:00 P.M. at the YWCA on Howard Street, Springfield. High and low score prizes and door prizes will be awarded.

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### Catholic Women . . .

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ture. He attended the University of Maryland Institute of Cosmetology and the University of Massachusetts. He is one of the few in the world who was honored with the World's Master Award for Hair Design in International Competition. Through constant research, travel and study, he keeps abreast with up-to-the-minute style trends and most advanced techniques, which in turn is passed on to the Kay-Harvey Hair Stylist Salons of Easthampton, Holyoke and Springfield.

Refreshments and coffee hour will follow Mr. Harvey's talk with Mrs. Patrick Vassallo in charge of Hospitality. Assisting Mrs. Vassallo in the following committee: Mrs. William Monahan, Mrs. Victor Moreno, Mrs. Anthony Calabrese, Mrs. Hugo Ambrogi, Mrs. Alfred Gallerani, Mrs. Alfred Montagna, Mrs. Claude Guidetti, Mrs. John Siano, Mrs. Harold Fischer, Miss Frances Pedulla, Miss Rose Pedulla, Mrs. Louis Pedulla, Mrs. George Metzger, Mrs. Albert Taupier, Mrs. Chester Miller, Mrs. James Taupier.

### St. John's . . .

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Christmas giving, including lamps, hampers, umbrellas, blankets, bedspreads, fashion accessories and gift certificates.

Mrs. O'Connor heads the ticket committee working on auction reservations, which is open to the public. More than 100 door prizes will be awarded at the auction and refreshments will be served. Mrs. Gustave Benoit is chairman of hostesses.

Mrs. Miller is chairman of special awards which include two hand-made afghans donated by Mrs. Ruth Zucco and Mrs. M. A. Tanner; a party basket, table lamp, punch bowl and five surprise gifts. These awards will be presented at the conclusion of the auction. Auction tickets are now available and may be obtained from Mrs. O'Connor or any member of the guild.

### SPICY CHIP DIP IS PARTY FARE

For your next party, Spicy Chip Dip will make an attractive addition to the buffet table. Blend the following ingredients: 1 tsp horseradish; 1 tsp dill pickle, finely chopped; 1 tsp blanched almonds, finely chopped; 1 tsp parsley, finely chopped; 1 tsp chives, with 3/4 cup sour cream and 3 oz. cream cheese, well creamed. Serve with corn chips, potato chips or bite-size pieces of French bread.

October is the month to inspect all chimneys to be certain that they are entirely safe. Look inside as well as out. Take a bright flashlight and a mirror and look up the flue from the cleanout at the bottom. Is the flue clean? Do stove or furnace pipes jut out into the flue to spoil the draft? Is the lining of the flue in good repair?

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### Round The Town



By Ann Nael

phone ST 8-8996

Mrs. Edith LaFrancis of Wilson Street, Agawam, has returned home and is convalescing after undergoing surgery at the Wesson Memorial Hospital.

The Feeding Hills Community Kindergarten will hold its executive board meeting Monday evening at 8 in the home of the president, Mrs. Lucille Gendron, 30 Southwick Street, Feeding Hills.

Miss Cheryl Neill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Neill of 329 Springfield Street, Agawam, was one of five girls chosen by her schoolmates to represent Perkins School for the Blind at the annual Play Day in Bratford, Ontario, Canada. The five girls left from Logan Airport Friday and returned Sunday.

The Feeding Hills Community Kindergarten will hold its monthly meeting Oct. 28 at 8 p.m. in the Feeding Hills Congregational Church.

### Admissions Officers Visit Senior High

Mr. David Skolnick, guidance director at the Agawam High School, announces admissions officers visiting Agawam High School the week of October 21:

Tuesday, 8 a.m.—W. Paul Reh-fuss, Yankton College, Yankton, South Dakota.

Tuesday, 9:30 a.m.—Agnes R. Bonner, Lake Erie College, Painesville, Ohio.

Wednesday, 8 a.m.—J. Laurie Helwig, N. E. Manager, DeVry Technical Institute, Chicago, Illinois.

Wednesday, 1 p.m.—William E. Sarmento, Assistant Director of Admissions, Boston University.

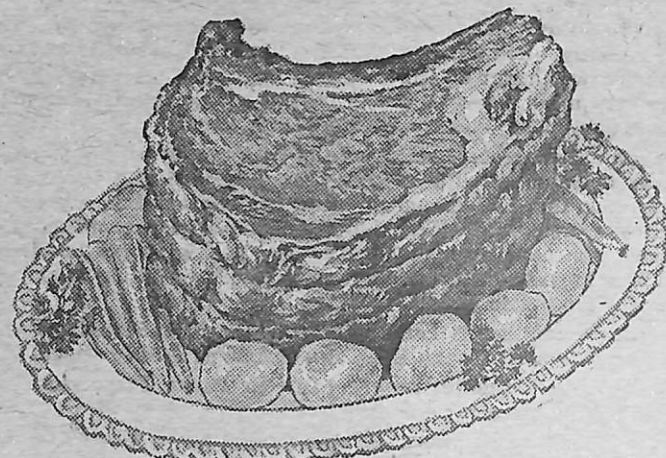
Friday, 9 a.m.—Forbes T. Brown, Assistant Professor, Committee on Admissions, Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Friday, 1 p.m.—Ralph Myers, Christian College, Missouri.

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## Republican Town Committee Pores Questions

The meeting held by the Republican Town Committee on Wednesday, Oct 9th was unusually good in that the tone, spirit and spontaneous flow of expression, mutually shared by the more than 75 members, candidates and friends present, promises a strong presentation to the electorate, the slate of candidates, and the issues that they will run on.

Each of the Republican candidates spoke briefly regards their aims and purposes. The words were spoken in tones from forthright seriousness to those with a touch of homespun humor and at the end when questions had been answered the deep down feeling that here, gathered in the room, was the finest, most qualified group of men and women, dedicated to public service, to have their names on the ballot at a town election.

It was a pleasure to know that such people live in Agawam. They are now going to the people of Agawam with their message. The Republican Town Committee believes that we have come to the point in the handling of the town's affairs where those, the voters, who are entrusted with the power, are faced with a most serious decision to make. The very fact is in the air that we breathe.

All of the things that have transpired are coming to a head. The theme, recently victorious, is that the time has come to change. Why should we change? Quite simple, because we believe that we need to very much, because things are not going right. Ask yourself some questions. Ask the candidates the same.

How can a Democrat, if elected, be bi-partisan in conduct when he will have to team up with another Democrat who was partisan in every decision that he has made? How can we maintain a progressive school system with a School Board for a large part made up of politicians who have been "promoted," are hoping to get promoted, passed over in their quest for other town offices, or biding their time waiting for the plums to fall?

How can we continue to build a better town with a Planning Board whose members don't attend their own meetings as they should?

How can we get a better program for our Parks, Playground and Recreation from the same old gang?

How is it that our "Library" is still struggling to give us the expanded facilities that we need?

How do Democrats lower taxes?

Coffee Hours for candidates are in full swing. The Republican Town Committee suggests that every voter attend at least one and ask the candidates their questions? The committee is quite sure that the answers will be quite educational!

For Agawam Republican Town Committee,  
J. F. Trycinski, Publicity Chairman.

## Surface Scratching

Everybody knows that the ostrich — strictly speaking — is a bird-brain. Head in the sand, he feels perfectly safe in the notion that what he can't see, can't see him.

Is all that "just for the birds"? Not at all! People sometimes act that way too. In matters of health, for example, many close their eyes to the lurking danger of disease. Many ignore warnings that a medical checkup may be the only way to catch a killer before it's too late.

Take tuberculosis, for instance. At least thirty million Americans are infected with the TB germ right now. In the great majority, the germ is inactive. But for at least 120,000 Americans active TB has brought normal life to a halt. As to how many others may be in the same

fix, nobody knows — nobody can possibly know without checking. And the best way to check is through a tuberculin skin test — or a chest X-ray.

A tuberculin test does what an ostrich doesn't do. It tries to spot danger instead of ignoring it. A positive reaction to a tuberculin test is a sign that the TB germ has lodged in the body and may (or may not) be causing disease. The way to determine whether disease is present is to get a chest X-ray which will show whether the germ has become active and started on a career of damage.

A negative reaction to the tuberculin test, on the other hand, is an "all clear" signal — no TB germs in the body.

Doctors urge everyone to have a tuberculin test or a chest X-ray. Your doctor or health department can administer it. Don't put it off — don't be an ostrich!

## SOCIAL SECURITY



"After more than a quarter century of social security, many people still think of it as something strictly for the older person and it is this incorrect picture of social security that we try to dispel through every means that we can," Daniel J. Murphy, Jr., social security district manager, said today.

Mr. Murphy brought out that the social security program protects persons of all ages — not only the 62 or 65 years old. In addition to the regular retirement benefits for elderly people, disability payments may also be made to a totally and permanently disabled worker who is under 65.

Benefits to widows, surviving children under 18 years of age, and disabled children past 18 years of age are also an important part of "social security". Other people who can get benefits if they were dependent on a deceased worker are dependent husbands, and in certain situations, divorced wives.

"Social security is no longer protection for the older person alone," Mr. Murphy said. "It is lifetime protection for nine out of ten working Americans."

But benefits cannot be paid unless an application is made; a person who is nearing retirement should inquire at the social security office located at 891 State St., Springfield, Mass., about benefits, as should survivors of a deceased worker, or a worker who has become disabled.

"These three times for action," Mr. Murphy said, "are a must if a person is to be fully informed on his social security rights and obligations. It costs nothing to ask, but it may cost a good deal — in loss of benefits — if you stay in the dark about social security."

## Waste Collections

### ROUTE 5

Friday, Oct. 18 — Alexander Ave., Barry, Belmont Ave., Bristol Dr., Carol Ave., Churchill Ave., Hamilton Dr., New York Ave., North St. Ext., North West, North Westfield, Overlook Dr., Parkview Dr., Pine, Richmond Ave., Roosevelt Ave., South West, South Westfield, Southwick, Sunset Ter. and Thalia Drive.

### ROUTE 6

Monday, Oct. 21 — Adams, Cosgrove, DePalma, Doane Ave., Edgewater Rd., Franklin St. Ext., Garden, Memorial Dr., Mountainview, Oxford, Phil, Poplar, Porter Dr., Ridge Ave., Shoemaker Ln., Silver, Silver Lake Dr., South, Suffield and Vadais St.

### ROUTE 7

Tuesday, Oct. 22 — Althea Dr., Anthony, Belle, Centre, Clematis Dr., Colonial Ave., Cooper, Elsie, Fairview, Federal Ave., Federal, Federal St. Ext., Harvey Johnson Dr., Karen Dr., Ley, Poinsetta, Potomac Pl., Prine Ln., Reed, Samuel, Senator Ave., Stanley Pl., Valentine, Valentine St. Ext., Vernon, Virginia, Washington, Westford Cir. and Woodside Dr.

### ROUTE 8

Wednesday, Oct. 23 — Birchill, Rd., Carr Ave., Elm, Emerson, Haskell, Henshaw Ave., Kanawa Ave., Lealand Ave., Main, Mardale Ave., Nile Ave., Parker, Perry Ln., Raymond Cir., Riverside Ave., Riverview Ave., Ruskin Ave., South Park Ter., Stewart Ln., Sunnyslope Ave., Thirlmere Ave., Veranda Ave., Woodcliffe Ave. and Wright St.

### ROUTE 9

Thursday, Oct. 24 — Albert, Alhambra Cir., Barney, Central, Corey, Edith Ave., Edward, Elbert Rd., Ellison Ave., Frank, Hunt, James Ave., John, Joseph, Kirkland, Liberty Ave., Maple Ave., Meadow, Meadow Ave., Monroe, Pomeroy, River Rd., School, Seymore Ave., Sterling Rd., Sunrise Ter., Willard Ave. and Wyman Ave.

Mr. Motorist. Don't toss empty paper bags, cartons, bottles, cans, or other scraps from your car. The Automobile Legal Association asks you to do YOUR part to keep our roadsides clean.



October 21

through

October 25

### SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, hamburger on roll, potato chips, buttered carrots, peanut butter/honey sandwiches, gingerbread w/whipped cream, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti w/meat sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, Italian roll w/butter, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Roast beef in gravy, mashed potato, buttered peas, bread/butter, Boston cream pie, milk.

Thursday: Juice, cold cut grinder (boiled ham, cooked salami, lettuce, tomato, cheese), pickle slices, peanut butter-honey sandwiches, chocolate cake w/butter icing, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, carrot-celery sticks, peanut butter-honey sandwiches, peach shortcake w/whipped cream, milk.

### JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, hamburger in gravy, mashed potatoes, peas, ginger bread w/topping, bread/butter, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, frankfurt on roll, baked beans, peanut butter sandwiches, apple sauce, oatmeal cookies, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, shell macaroni in meat sauce, cabbage-carrot salad, peach shortcake, bread/butter, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on roll, green beans, peanut butter sandwiches, fruit cup, chocolate cookies, milk.

Friday: Fish cakes, parsley potatoes, spinach, whipped jello w/cream, bread/butter, milk.

### DANAHI

Monday: Blended juice, frankfurt and roll w/relish, mustard, tossed salad, applesauce cake, milk.

Tuesday: Italian spaghetti w/meat-tomato sauce, buttered green beans, cheese wedge, rye bread/butter, diced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, beef stew w/vegetables, celery sticks, bread/butter, chocolate cake, milk.

Thursday: hinese pie (potato-corn and hamburger), peanut butter-jam sandwich, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Oven fried potatoes, tuna salad sandwiches, cole slaw w/green peppers, applesauce w/peanut butter cookie, milk.

### GRANGER

Juice, minced ham and cheese sandwich, baked beans, carrots, chocolate chip pudding w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Pork loaf and brown gravy, buttered rice, whole kernel corn, peanut butter-Jelly sandwich, strawberry shortcake w/topping, milk.

Wednesday: Chicken noodle soup, cheese sandwich or peanut butter sandwich, raisin cookies, orange sections, milk.

Thursday: Juice, steamed frankfurt on buttered bun, relish, mustard, potato sticks, sauerkraut, cranberry-nut cake, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, cabbage-carrot salad, chocolate peanut butter cookies, applesauce, milk.

### PEIRCE

Monday: Hamburg, gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered peas, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, pineapple chunks, milk.

Tuesday: Beef, vegetables soup w/noodles, ham-cheese sandwich, carrot stix, fruit jello w/topping, milk.

Wednesday: Grapefruit-pineapple juice, sausage patties, hash brown potatoes, buttered beets, peanut butter-jelly sandwich, ginger cake w/whipped cream, milk.

Thursday: Pork pie w/potato topping, buttered leaf spinach, cheese cube, bread/butter, pear halves, milk.

Friday: Baked macaroni w/cheese and tomatoes, cole slaw w/grated carrots, selery stix, bread/

butter, chocolate peanut butter cookies, milk.

### PHELPS

Monday: Grilled frankfurt on buttered roll, relish, mustard, cheese sticks, buttered corn, pineapple chunks, milk.

Tuesday: Beef and gravy on mashed potato, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday: Homemade vegetable soup, turkey sandwich, celery sticks, orange wedges, milk.

Thursday: Citrus juice, grilled hamburger on buttered bun, onion slices, relish, buttered green beans, apple nobby cake, milk.

Friday: Juice, pizza w/tomato, cheese sauce, carrot sticks, peanut butter cookie, milk.

### ROBINSON

Monday: Orange juice, meat ball grinders, tossed salad w/spinach greens, potato chips, fruit, milk.

Tuesday: Oven baked chicken, sweet potato, buttered peas, cranberry sauce, bread/butter, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday: Juice, frankfurt on buttered roll, mustard, relish, cheese sticks, buttered carrots, applesauce cake, milk.

Thursday: Elbow macaroni w/meat sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, peanut butter sandwich, pineapple chunks, milk.

Friday: Baked fish sticks (cat-sup), parsley potato, mixed vegetables, bread/butter, peanut butter sandwich, cake w/lemon sauce, milk.

### SOUTH

Monday: Orange juice, beef stew w/vegetables, celery sticks, peanut butter on rye bread, peach upsidedown cake w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Pineapple juice, meat ravioli w/cheese and tomato sauce, fruit slaw, french bread w/butter, apple cake, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburg, corn and noodles baked, buttered broccoli, jelly sandwich, gingerbread w/topping, milk.

Thursday: Sliced pork w/gravy, buttered rice, spiced apple slices, buttered spinach, whole wheat buttered bread, cherry cake, milk.

Friday: Tomato soup, tuna fish salad roll, oven french fries, carrot sticks, sliced peaches, cookie, milk.

## Bridge & Fashions . .

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cia Miller, Vickie Shibley and Liza Fenton, Masters Keith Zulon, Michael, Thomas and James Fenton, Kurt Fields and Douglas Miller. Adults fashions will be presented by Mrs. Charles Cavanaugh, Mrs. Peter Cecchi, Jr., Mrs. Bruno Maule, Mrs. Robert Zulon, Mrs. George Armstrong, Mrs. James Alvord, Mrs. Joseph Mendes and Mrs. Theodore Carpenter.

Table prizes and favors will be provided for each table, but patrons are kindly asked to bring playing cards for games of their choice.

Tickets for the affair, which is the only event held by the club to raise money for their local projects, may be purchased from any club member, Mrs. Robert Aubrey, 732-0853, Mrs. Raymond Stone, Jr., 137 Moore St., or at the door.

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## Peirce School PTA Holds Rummage Sale

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### LEGAL NOTICES

#### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

October 14, 1963  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that Ralph J. Bottaro, d/b/a BETTYS OLD TOWNE HOUSE, has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 228 Walnut St.—first floor—three dining rooms; second floor (Atmosphere—not used by public)—basement for storage.  
WALTER T. KERR  
FRANK CHRISCOLA, JR.  
RAYMOND E. CHAREST  
Licensing Board  
(Oct. 17)

#### MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by THOMAS HENRY RUDDEFORTH, JR. and JANET RUDDEFORTH, husband and wife, both of Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, to WESTFIELD SAVINGS BANK, dated September 29, 1952 and registered in the Land Registration Office for the Registry District of Hampden County, Massachusetts, as Document No. 16453 and noted on Certificate of Title No. 6248, said Registry District, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, there will be sold at Public Auction at ten o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, November 5, 1963, on the premises hereinafter described, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, said premises being therein described substantially as follows, to wit: "a certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in AGAWAM, Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:

SOUTHERLY by Doane Avenue ninety two (92) feet; WESTERLY by lot "C" as shown on plan hereinafter mentioned one hundred forty five and 98/100 (145.98) feet; NORTHERLY by land now or formerly of Henry E. Smith et al ninety two (92) feet; and EASTERLY by lot "E" as shown on said plan one hundred forty six and 06/100 (146.06) feet. Said land is shown as lot "D" on said plan.

All of said boundaries are determined by the Land Court to be located as shown on a plan drawn by E. Boise Lewis, Engineer, dated March 7, 1959, as modified and approved by the Court, filed in the Land Registration Office at Boston, numbered 18679-B, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of Title No. 5532, Registry District of Hampden County, Massachusetts.

Subject to easement rights over said Doane Avenue as set forth in Document #14549 said Registry District.

Also conveying to said grantee, as appurtenant to said parcel herein described and hereby conveyed, the right to use said Doane Avenue for all purposes for which public streets are commonly used.

Our title to said land is evidenced by Certificate of Title No. 6248, said Registry District of Hampden County.

Subject to the right of Mary A. Taylor, her heirs and assigns, as appurtenant to her remaining land on the northerly and southerly sides thereof, to use said Doane Avenue for all purposes for which public streets are commonly used.

Subject to restrictions set forth in the Certificate of Title last herein referred to.

Including as part of the realty all portable or sectional buildings at any time placed upon said premises and all elevators, pipes, oil burners, furnaces, heaters, hot water heaters, ranges, refrigerators, refrigerating apparatus, plumbing, gas and electric fixtures, screens, screen doors, storm doors and windows, mantels, shades, awnings, and all other fixtures of whatever kind and nature at present or hereafter installed in or on the granted premises which renders such articles usable in connection therewith so far as the same are or can be by agreement of parties, be made a part of the realty."

The above premises will be sold subject to all outstanding municipal taxes, tax titles, assessments or liens if any.

One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale as earnest money; other terms to be announced at the sale.

WESTFIELD SAVINGS BANK by Ralph D. Neth, its Treasurer  
Westfield, Mass.  
October 7, 1963  
Fuller, Scharoff and Smith,  
Attorneys  
(Oct. 10-17-24)

Rummage Sale at the highland branch YMCA, 171 Eastern Ave., Springfield, on Thursday, Oct. 24, starting at 9 a.m. Mrs. George Byrne is serving as chairman of the project.

Articles to be offered for sale are good, clean, useable clothing for men, women and children, small household items, bric-a-brac, dishes, pots, pans, jewelry, toys, etc.

Further information or arrangements for pick-up call Mrs. Byrne, 37 Hastings St., ST 8-6485; Mrs. Edward Burgamaster, 50 Norman Ter., RE 7-7621 or Mrs. Larry Paro, 492 North St., RE 2-3958.

### LEGAL NOTICES

#### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

October 14, 1963  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that the CORNER PACKAGE STORE, INC., James M. Moran, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Retail Package Goods Store at 312 Springfield St., on first floor of said building and same for storage.  
WALTER T. KERR  
FRANK CHRISCOLA, JR.  
RAYMOND E. CHAREST  
Licensing Board  
(Oct. 17)

#### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

October 14, 1963  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that TINTIS, INC., Corada Solaroli, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 22 King St., on first floor—six serving rooms and kitchen—cellar for storage.  
WALTER T. KERR  
FRANK CHRISCOLA, JR.  
RAYMOND E. CHAREST  
Licensing Board  
(Oct. 17)

#### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

October 14, 1963  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that Elizabeth Bottaro and Anselmo Bottaro, d/b/a BETTYS RESTAURANT, have applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 28 Moore Street, in a frame building, cellar for storage.  
WALTER T. KERR  
FRANK CHRISCOLA, JR.  
RAYMOND E. CHAREST  
Licensing Board  
(Oct. 17)

#### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

October 14, 1963  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that the CENTRAL PACKAGE STORE, INC., Aldo V. Masi, Mgr., has applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Retail Package Store at 50-52 River St., on first floor of said building—rear room for storage and additional room on side.  
WALTER T. KERR  
FRANK CHRISCOLA, JR.  
RAYMOND E. CHAREST  
Licensing Board  
(Oct. 17)

#### BOARD OF SELECTMEN AGAWAM, MASS.

October 14, 1963  
Notice is hereby given under Chapter 138 of the General Laws, that Alyce Cebrelli and Dorothy Fortuna d/b/a STELLA'S RESTAURANT, have applied for a license to sell Alcoholic Beverages of the following kind: All Alcoholic as a Common Victualer at 84-86 Maple Street, on two floors—top floor consisting of Dining room and Bar; bottom floor—Dining room and kitchen.  
WALTER T. KERR  
FRANK CHRISCOLA, JR.  
RAYMOND E. CHAREST  
Licensing Board  
(Oct. 17)

### SHERIFF'S SALE

HAMPDEN, SS. October 17, 1963.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I have taken upon Execution, and will sell at Public Auction on Saturday, the 19th day of October, 1963, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at Fletcher's Garage located at Rear-16 Elm Street in said Westfield, County of Hampden, Massachusetts, the following personal property, to wit:  
One—1959 Ford — Four Door Sedan  
Model: 58-B—Engine No. C90 S 271999  
TERMS: CASH.  
JAMES A. ATWATER,  
Deputy Sheriff of Hampden County, and Auctioneer.  
(Oct. 17)

## Seek Bids . . .

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the lease for an additional twenty years.

Because Feeding Hills is located in a redevelopment area eligible to take part in the new Area Redevelopment Administration's program, Mr. Gronouski said, the project will be of particular value. It will provide needed employment during the construction phase, and it will add to Feeding Hills' modernization efforts to attract new industry, he said.

The Department's capital investment will be limited substantially to postal equipment. The building will remain under private ownership with the owner paying local real estate taxes. Postal space in the present unit will be made available for other purposes.

Bidding documents will be available on or about October 24, and may be obtained from Mr. A. M. Griffin, Regional Real Estate Officer, Room 1420 Federal Building, Boston, Mass., 02109. The Real Estate Officer will supply bidding forms, building specifications, lease provisions and other information. Bids must be submitted to the Real Estate Officer by November 22, 1963.

## Chairman Reynolds . . .

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out thanks or remuneration, trying to keep our economy "in line," while serving as the Chairman of the "Board of Finance." All of us have benefitted by his successful efforts. During this tenure, he discovered the many inadequacies of our administration and he feels that as our Selectman he can do a great deal to correct many of them.

All of us have listened to or read about the town critic who offers nothing but destructive criticism and spends little time and effort to offer some constructive criticism. This is not Ed Connelly. He has a background in business effort that supplies him with the philosophy so necessary to offer you savings in tax dollars. Does it not clearly follow that one who has been a purchasing agent would not, for the good of his company, be a free and wasteful spender? This single attribute would entice you and me to be personally obligated to support his candidacy.

Our second obligation is to serve your many varied interests as a selectman should. What are these interests? Of prime importance is the interest he should have as your leader and spokesman. He should be an active supervisor of all town departments that come under his jurisdiction, not just a figure head. By virtue of his office, he should not exercise unfair practices in the so-called "spoils system." He should treat his constituents on a non-partisan basis. If we are forced to suffer with party politics, his appointments should be made on a "fair and equal representation" basis. Equal opportunity should be offered all who seek licenses, permits, and positions. He should listen cautiously to "militant minorities" striving only to promote the greatest good for the greatest number.

Perhaps you are wondering where one can find a "politician" with such an utopian philosophy. We have found one for you in the person of Ed Connelly. We are asking him to personally state his platform on all the above interests and we are suggesting to you that you meet him personally to understand why he should be our selectman.

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## South PTA . . .

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tray "India, Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow."

From Hindu pilgrims bathing in the sacred Ganges River to the magnificent temples of southern India. From the teeming cities of Calcutta, Bombay and Delhi to the snow covered peaks of the mighty Himalyn mountains, his camera has ranged over the people and places of India that looks

to the future, but lives in the past. His interviews with hundreds of Indians, from members of parliament to country farmers, results in a profile of this land of 438 million, struggling to raise productivity and attain literacy, and facing the menace of a renewal of the Chinese Communist Invasion.

Proceeds from ticket sales will be used for ways and means projects. Tickets are available at the school, the fifth and sixth grade members and may be purchased at the door.

## A C 'Harvest Supper' Oct. 26 at St. David's

The Activities Club of St. David's Episcopal Church will have a "Harvest Supper" on Saturday, Oct. 26th with servings at 5:30 and 6:30 p.m.

The menu will include: tomato juice, roast turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, squash, rolls, cranberry sauce, assorted pies, coffee, tea or milk.

Mrs. Herbert Litchfield and Mrs. Charles Astifan are in charge of the supper. The dining room is under the supervision of Mrs. John S. Tyler and Mrs. Bruno Maule. Mrs. Douglas White is in charge of the desserts.

Tickets for adults are \$1.50 and children 75c. Reservations may be made by calling the Vicarage, RE 7-9804.

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## SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By Bill Chiba

If the woods remain open in Massachusetts, then the duck season will commence Friday, Oct. 18th at 1 p.m. DST. The waterfowl season is split again this year. The first part of the season is from the 18th of Oct. to Nov. 2nd, and the second from Nov. 29th to Dec. 28th. The geese season is also split...Oct. 18th to Nov. 26th and Nov. 29th to Dec. 28th. The daily bag for geese is two with four as the possession limit.

This year the law allows a daily bag limit of three ducks. Of these, no more than two may be mallard or black ducks in any combination, nor may more than one be a wood duck. A hunter could take two black ducks and a teal, for example, and be legal, or he might take a mallard, a black, and one wood duck. But, if he were to take two black ducks and one mallard, or vice versa, he'd be breaking the law.

Pheasant, Quail, Squirrel (grey), Rabbit, and Snowshoe Hare are legal game commencing 1/2 hour before sunrise Oct. 20th. But don't forget that the 20th is a Sunday, so no hunting. The 21st is the first legal day to pursue the above mentioned game.

The New Hampshire Fish and Game Department announces that

archers will be able to hunt in that part of the state that lies north of the dividing line (the same line as in 1962), established at the high land in the White Mountains, from Oct. 12 through Nov. 14. South of this line, deer may be hunted from Nov. 10 through Nov. 14 inclusive. The pre-season in Bear Brook State Park is from Oct. 31 through Nov. 14.

Deer may be taken with bow and arrow during the regular gunning season without the purchase of the special pre-season archery license. Nonresidents who have a valid New Hampshire license may purchase the archery license for \$4.00; those who do not have the regular \$25.25 hunting license may buy a special bow and arrow license for \$10., which will entitle them to hunt deer during the pre-season only.

Archers must comply with the same regulations for the taking, tagging, transporting, etc., of deer as hunters who use firearms. Their bows must pull at least 40 pounds and each arrow must be plainly marked with the owner's name and address.

### IS THERE ONE BETTER?

Ralph Griffin of Dixfield, Me., after returning home from a coon hunt, found his check book missing. He decided that he had lost it where the dogs had treed the coon. He next morning he returned to the general area with enough foresight to take his dog along. The hound entered the woods and returned in a short time with the lost check book. Perhaps some retrievers would do well to take lessons from this grade hound.

### 500 BOWS A DAY?

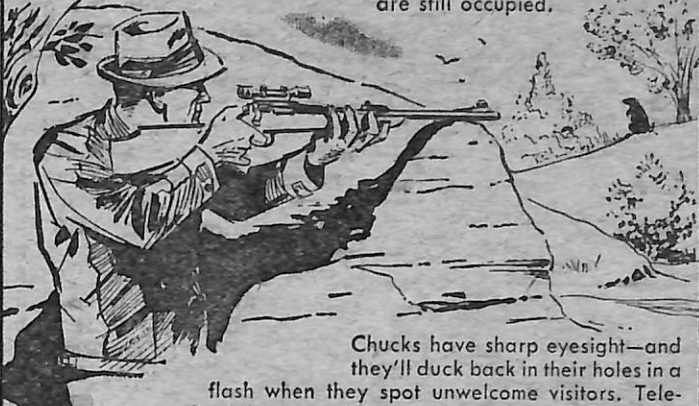
Now shipping glass for bows to 30 manufacturers around the world, Gordon Plastics, which now occupies 12,000 feet of floor space, will soon introduce a new glass shaft; the shaft is made automatically, at the rate of one

## The Sportsman's Corner

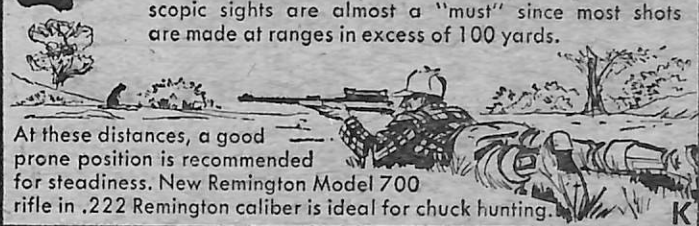
by Dr. Joe Linduska, Remington Wild Life Expert



The varmint hunter out for woodchuck has to be a tracker as well as a good shot. He looks for fresh earth near chuck holes—a sign that the burrows are still occupied.



Chucks have sharp eyesight—and they'll duck back in their holes in a flash when they spot unwelcome visitors. Telescopic sights are almost a "must" since most shots are made at ranges in excess of 100 yards.



At these distances, a good prone position is recommended for steadiness. New Remington Model 700 rifle in .222 Remington caliber is ideal for chuck hunting.

every 15 seconds. The ten-year-old company also produces 1000 bows a month; it sells enough glass now for manufacturers to turn out 500 bows a day, and capacity has not yet been reached.



### FISHIN' TERMS

Fishermen, who seldom miss an opportunity to discuss their favorite pastime, have concocted a number of colorful terms to describe their prey, their equipment and each other.

Here are a few of the more picturesque expressions which the angling fans at Mercury outboards fondly culled from some fishing glossaries and pass along for the benefit of newcomers to the sport:

Double Blood—A popular fisherman's knot used for joining two pieces of leader or joining a leader to a line. This is one knot every angler should know. If you can tie a double blood, you are one of the boys.

Horsing—Trying to land a fish too rapidly, or with brute force instead of skill. This is one of the best methods of losing a trophy size fish yet devised by inept man.

Jack Salmon—Southern name for walleye pike.

Jig—A weighted lure designed to be fished with an up-and-down motion. This act is called "jigging."

Lunker—A big fish of any species. Before you use this term make sure that the fish referred to is really big. For instance, a lunker bass should be at least six pounds.

Scul—The act of paddling with one hand to move the boat along slowly. Almost a lost art, since the introduction of the slow-trolling Merc fishin' motors.

Sidewinder—A villain in most fishing circles—a man who casts with a wide sidarm motion. Sidewinders knock hats off fishing companions, and are generally considered a menace in a boat. Don't be one.

Spoon—A metal lure widely used for trout, muskie, and pike. Rumor has it that the first lure of this type was made by sawing off the head of a tablespoon and drilling holes in it for a line and hooks.

Oct. 14, 1947 — Flying in an army rocket-powered research airplane at Muroc Air Base, California, Captain Charles E. Yeager of the United States Air Force became the first person to fly faster than the speed of sound.

## TURKEY SHOOT

The first of six Turkey Shoots to be held at the Agawam Sportsman Club on Corey Street, sponsored by the Veterans of World War One will be Sunday the 20th. These shoots are run annually by the Veterans before Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Why not come down and try your skill? If lucky you might take home a Turkey for Thanksgiving and also enjoy an afternoon's entertainment.

## VWWI CARD PARTY WINNERS

The third game of the present series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held in the National Guard Armory last Wednesday evening. The winners of the Door prizes were Nellie Webster, Viola Thayer, Amelia Meyer and Mary Haley.

Mystery prize winners were Selina Beauchane, Ralph Stetson and Henry Cole. Awarded Ace prize Edna Landers for the ladies and Harold Landers for the men.

Prizes for play were as follows: Ladies — 1st Dot Webb, 2nd Jessie Tompkins, 3rd Thelma White and consolation, Selina Beauchane; Men — 1st Harold Landers, 2nd William Blanchette, 3rd James Cleary and consolation, Ben Botelho.

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Friday, Nov. 1st, the WWLP mobile unit will televise the Acorns-Boston Sweepers football game from Everett Stadium, just outside Boston. The tape of this game, an evening contest, will be air-hopped to Springfield in two sections for playback at 11:30 p.m.

Rollie Jacobs will do the play-by-play on both games. The three-camera WWLP remote unit will be used at Portland and Everett to originate the contests. Springfield Acorns football is a special sports department presentation of WWLP and WRLP.

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## PROMENADERS

### SQUARE DANCE



By Norm and Dot Jenks

That happy feeling was in the air at Robinson Park School last Friday when Bill Noyes stepped up to the mike and sounded off with some real fast moving square dances. Eleven sets were in attendance with guests from many of the area clubs. One set came down from Cummington, the Country Cousins and we also had a set from Ledyard, Conn., the Ledyard Squares. Folks really travel to have a good time.

The next scheduled dance will be Oct. 25th and of course it will be a Halloween Party. Dick Steele will do the calling. Prizes will be awarded for clever costumes but you may come and enjoy an evening of dancing in your usual attire.

#### Acrebrook, Here We Come!

We have another banner in view. This Friday, Oct. 18th it is off to the American Legion Hall, East St., Chicopee Falls to visit the Acrebrook Club. The more the merrier, so join us.

## Young At Heart

### Halloween Dance

The Young at Heart Square Dance Club of Ludlow will hold a dance and Halloween party on Wednesday evening at the East Street School, Ludlow. Dancing will be from 8 to 10:45 with Al Bessette calling...costumes are optional.

Refreshments will be served by the Nolans. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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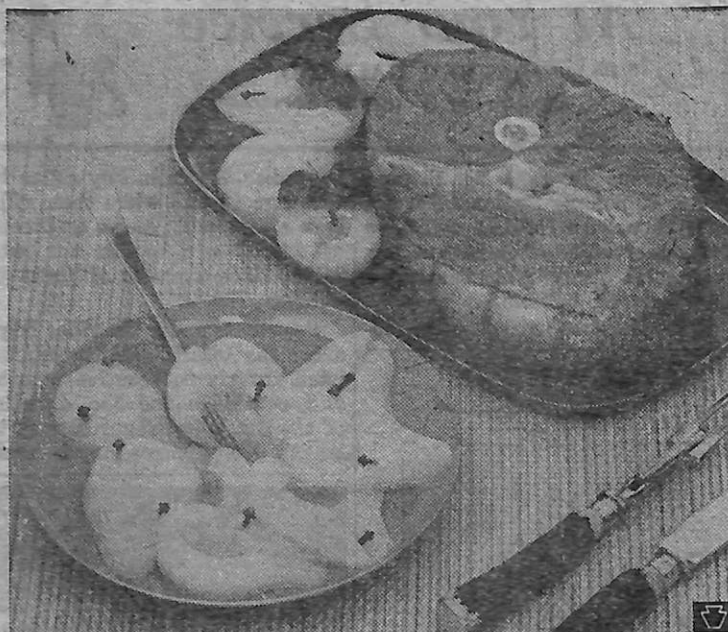
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California Bartlett pears are in some markets through October and even later. Buying tip: Select yellow-skinned pears to eat within a day or two. Green-skinned pears are fully mature and will be just as flavorful as those bought yellow-ripe if you store in a paper bag for a few days at room temperature.

### HAM WITH SPICED PEARS

- |                              |                             |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 cup sugar                  | 4 pieces (1/2 inch each)    |
| 1 cup water                  | ginger root*                |
| 1/2 cup vinegar              | 6 fresh California Bartlett |
| 1 stick (8 inches) cinnamon* | pears                       |
| 1 teaspoon whole cloves*     | 1 slice (2 lb.) center cut, |
|                              | ready-to-eat ham.           |

Combine all ingredients except pears and ham in large saucepan; bring to boil. Pare, halve and core pears. Add to hot syrup and cook gently, turning occasionally, until fork-tender. Remove from heat. Cover and cool in syrup overnight. Brush ham with syrup. Broil, turning once and basting, to brown both sides. Stud pears with cloves and serve with ham. Makes 12 pear halves.

\* Or 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon and 1/4 teaspoon EACH ground cloves and ground ginger.

## Schoolyards Are Not For Dogs

Dog owners today were reminded by Mr. David S. Claffin, Executive Vice-President of the Mass. S.P.C.A. of the serious problems which can arise when dogs follow their young masters to school; and Mr. Claffin urged that dogs be kept home until after children have gone to school.

Schoolyards are not the proper place for dogs. In all the excitement and confusion of a yard filled with strange children and perhaps other dogs, even a well-mannered pet might be tempted to run and jump on children and possibly to get into fights with other dogs. Many children are not accustomed to dogs and would be badly frightened by this sort of experience. There is also the possibility that, on the way home, the dog will be hit by a car.

Part of a child's responsibility to his dog is to see that it does not become a nuisance to other people. To help protect the dog's reputation, the young owner should be impressed with the reasons for seeing that his dog stays at home during school hours.

## Stumblers Squares Halloween Dance

The Stumblers Squares will hold a masquerade dance party Saturday evening at 8 in the Granger School, Feeding Hills Center. This dance will be open to the public and all dancers are asked to wear costumes.

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## My Beat — A.H.S.

by Marsha Della-Giustina

The cast of the Senior play The Dairy of Anne Frank has been announced by Miss Joyce Marieb, director of AHS Speech teacher. The play takes place on the top floors of a warehouse where the Franks, the Van Daans, and Mr. Dussel are hiding from the dreaded Nazis. Mr. Kraler and Miep aid the eight people through their fears, trials, and few happy moments.

The cast is as follows: Mr. Frank: Bub Salmonsens, Miep: Marsha Della-Giustina, Mrs. Van Daan: Martha Sharritt, Mr. Van Daan: Tom Daigneau, Peter Van Daan: Billy Higgins, Mrs. Frank: Gale Cote, Margot Frank: Sharon Strole, Anne Frank: Judy Bonkowski, Mr. Kraler: Gary Hodge and Mr. Dussel: Ted Affleck. The stage manager is Armand Bruneau.

Five members of the senior class received letters of commendation from the Merit Scholarship Program in assembly last Friday. The five seniors scored in the top 2% of the high school seniors of the country! They are as follows: Gary Hodge, Bob Oppenheimer, Susan Colli, Richard Barnes, and Carl Novak. Congratulations!

Coming events: Agawam plays Tech Saturday away! Read Ran-

the evening will be "amateur callers night." Anyone who has the urge to call a dance will have the opportunity. Disguises are recommended as very appropriate for all participants.

Regular dancing will be under the direction of "Bud" Flebotte. Door prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. This will be a night of fun for all so won't you all join us this Saturday.

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## LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT NEWS

by Virginia Catchepaugh

### Memorial Services

Two memorial services were held by Unit members for Past President Grace Tyler — one at the funeral home and the other at a recent October meeting. The Holyoke Soldiers Home will receive an afghan, nearly completed by Mrs. Tyler and finished by Unit members.

### Membership

Agawam and Palmer are competing for first quota membership. Agawam's membership last year was 93 members and two have been lost by death this year.

### Volunteer Classes

Orientation classes at Leeds Hospital for members wishing to become Volunteers were held on Oct. 9th . . . another class will be held on Oct. 16th at 7 p.m.

### Christmas Gift Shop

The Christmas Gift Shop will be held at Leeds on Dec. 4th, 5th, and 6th . . . Agawam's day is Dec. 5th. It is hoped that members who can will plan to work there that day. Mrs. Bissonnette, Gift Shop chairman, would like the names of those who would participate.

### Girls' State Speaker

Girls' Stater, Sandra Wein and her alternate, Martha Sharritt;

## SOCIAL SECURITY

### Questions and Answers

Q. How often should I check my social security account?

A. You can check it as often as once a year if you wish. There is no charge for this service. Everyone who has more than one employer should check his record at least once every three years.

Q. I am 65 years old and am receiving social security benefits. Last year I worked for a neighbor on his farm and earned \$450. I expect my earnings this year to be about the same amount. My employer insisted that I show him my social security account number card, and deducted social security tax from my pay. I say this is not correct because I am over 65 years of age and am receiving my social security benefit checks. Am I right or is my employer?

A. Your employer is correct. He is required to report the cash wages he pays to any of his farm workers regardless of how old they are, if the amount is \$150 or more a year, or if the worker works on 20 or more days a year for cash paid on a time basis.

and their mothers will be guests at the next Unit meeting, October 21st. Sandra will report on her activities at Girls State, and her impressions of the value of this program. Mrs. Jean Smith and Mrs. Gloria Morin will be hostesses for the evening.

Veterans in good health and under 60 holding National Service Life Insurance (NSLI) still have the opportunity of buying a low cost total disability income rider for their GI policies.

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tally disabled from any cause before age 60 and while their rider is in effect, will receive an income of \$10.00 per month for each \$1,000 face amount of their GI policies.

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for disabilities incurred after age 60, and no premium charge is made for this benefit after that date.

The premium cost of the rider varies with the policyholder's age, type of policy and its face amount.

Veterans whose age at nearest birthday is 40 or less may get the rider without physical examination. Those older are required to submit to a physical examination by either VA physicians or their own local doctors. VA medical applications forms must be used.

Further information and application forms may be obtained at any VA regional office.

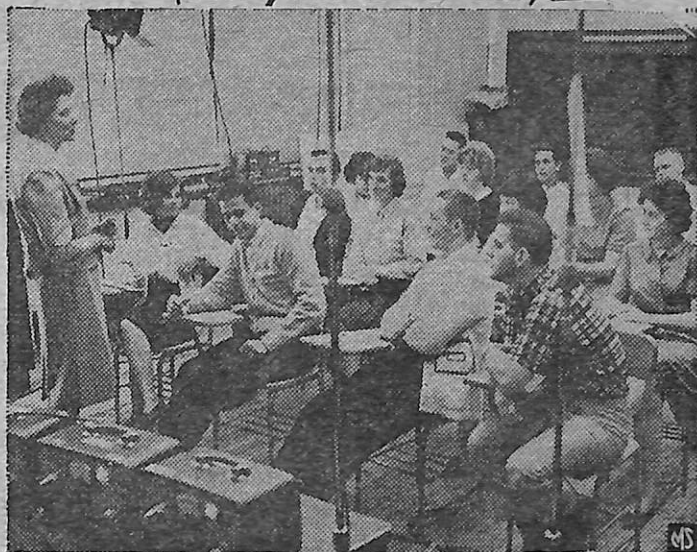
## At Your Service

DAVID C. GALLANO  
Director of Veterans Services



### HOW FAST CAN YOU READ THIS?

(Test yourself at end)



Instructed by modern techniques and devices, Bill Carmack, front row, wearing white sweater, reads at rate of 10,000 words per minute.

Can a boy who was reading 280 words a minute so improve himself that within the course of a single term he brings his rate up to the astonishing speed of 10,000 words a minute?

Is it possible to read a history book in school at 5,000 words a minute and still have 90 per cent comprehension?

Would it take you five seconds to peruse 1,000 words as William Carmack, newly graduated from South Hills High School in Pittsburgh, has done on camera? He would read this piece of approximately 400 words in about two seconds, remembering all salient points.

Young Carmack, a crack varsity swimmer and co-captain of his team, is an augury of things to come in American education for both young men and women, according to his teacher, Miss Elsie Murphy.

She believes, for example, that with the combination of proper approaches and scientific techniques, there will be people scanning at the rate of 20,000 words a minute in the not-too-distant future.

Her prize pupil, Bill Carmack, plans to eventually become a Professor of Scouting in Boy Scout Camps — undoubtedly, he will be the fastest reader of Boy Scout manuals of all time.

He will be seen demonstrating his skill, incidentally, on "An Experiment In Excellence", an NBC-TV program scheduled for Thursday, September 19, from 10 to 11 p.m., ET. The program, sponsored by the Gulf Oil Corporation, shows how the skills of the traditional teacher must blend with modern scientific devices to produce the outstanding American student of tomorrow.

### NOW TEST YOURSELF

In blank spaces in each of the following sentences, fill in the word or words which correctly complete the sentence. Count five points for each. Total: 20.

1. Bill Carmack was reading 280 words a minute before he was able to average \_\_\_\_\_ words a minute.
2. Carmack is not only brilliant in speed but is a swimmer and \_\_\_\_\_ of his team.
3. Miss Elsie M. Murphy, Carmack's teacher, believes that people will be scanning at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_ in the not-so-distant future.
4. Young Carmack will demonstrate his skill on "An Experiment In Excellence" over NBC-TV on \_\_\_\_\_, as part of a broad study of education.

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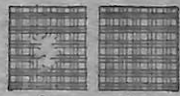
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